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"As I get older I really appreciate programs like this and hope that it is around when I have kids. I just wanted to let you know that I appreciate what you do." - Christy Beisheim



# Get Your Tickets Today! Youth Alcohol & Drug Abuse Prevention Project (YADAPP) 26th Annual Summer Conference - July 19-22, 2010

# VADAPP 2010: THE MOVIE

# JULY 19-22, 2010 LONGWOOD UNIVERSITY

### What Is YADAPP?

- The Youth Alcohol & Drug Abuse Prevention Project (YADAPP) summer leadership conference is a teambased leadership experience for high school students and sponsoring adults.
- YADAPP is designed to empower teams of high school students with the resources and motivation to develop projects that promote school safety and the prevention of drug use among their peers.
- Since 1984, approximately 440 different high schools and community organizations and more than 10,000 students have participated in this unique "youth-led" experience.
- All high schools and community organizations in Virginia are encouraged to send a team to YADAPP 2010 this summer.

# **YADAPP 2010 Highlights**

- Motivational Speakers: YADAPP 2010 will feature motivational and inspiring guest speakers in order to energize both students and adults.
- Strategies To Act Now (STAN) Plan: Facilitated by youth staff members, the STAN planning process provides structure and guidance for participants as they create a substance abuse and/or violence prevention activity for their school or community. Participants develop an actual plan to present to their principal or organization director.

### Who Should Attend YADAPP 2010?

- · Students interested in making a difference
- Students from leadership clubs and organizations such as SADD, SAVE, YOVASO, SGA, NHS, BETA, etc.
- Students involved in community coalitions
- Students working in the community through youth service boards, offices on youth, YMCAs, etc.
- Adults interested in working with a team of students from their locality

### What Is a YADAPP Team?

- One team consists of up to four student participants and one adult sponsor.
- A team must represent either a high school or a community organization.
- Participation is open to rising ninth through twelfth graders with peer leadership potential and a commitment to leading drug-free lives.

# How Do I Register for YADAPP 2010?

- Registration and payment is by mail. The deadline for registration and payment is June 25, 2010.
- Space is limited to the first 100 teams that register.
- A registration form is enclosed and is also available online (www.yadapp.com / www.abc.virginia.gov).
- Payment is by purchase order or check. See the registration form for additional details.
- Names of all team members are required by July 2.
- Cancellations should be made in writing. Full refunds will be made for cancellations before June 25. Fifty percent refunds will be made from June 26 to July 9.
   No refunds will made after July 9.

### **How Do I Confirm My Registration?**

Confirmation letters will be sent directly to the adult sponsor's mailing address. These letters will be sent in advance of the conference and will contain detailed information to help your team prepare for YADAPP 2010.

### **How Much Does YADAPP 2010 Cost?**

The team registration fee is \$500, covering lodging and meals for a team of four students and one adult. Additional adult sponsors can be added for \$50 each. Conference and travel expenses can often be paid through the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act (SDFSCA) funding allocated to each school division in Virginia.

## **Questions?**

Please visit www.yadapp.com for more information. You may also contact the Virginia ABC Education Section by e-mail, education@abc.virginia.gov, or by phone, (804) 213-4688. Additional copies of the registration form are available on www.yadapp.com as well as www.abc.virginia.gov.

Ensure that your high school or community organization is represented at YADAPP 2010! Avoid disappointment and take advantage of this unique Virginia tradition today.

"I never forgot anything I'd been taught at YADAPP, great or small. Because of that, I live today to mentor, to enhance and to guide. Thank you YADAPP."

-lordan R. N. Brown

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"YADAPP 2010: THE MOVIE IS THE BLOCKBUSTER OF THE SUMMER!"

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